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## CARRANZA SENDS FORCE OF 30,000 TO EXTERMINATE BORDER OUTLAWS

Movement of Troops Already in Progress Through Chihuahua, Is Official Report to United States.

### MORE DELAY LIKELY IN DISPATCHING NOTE

Guardsmen to Be Kept Without Federal Standing Until Skeleton Companies Are Brought Up to Standard.

**(By Evening Herald Leased Wire)**  
Washington, May 23.—The Carranza government has ordered 30,000 troops into the region south of the border to exterminate bandits, according to information received today from the state department. The new troop movements are already in progress through Chihuahua, the departmental news service states. The columns are routed north via Saltillo for the most part, as the railway strike has interfered with the movement of troops over other lines.

Officials here were inclined today to anticipate a further delay by General Carranza in dispatching his note regarding the border situation.

Official announcement that Colonel Sibley's expedition had returned was expected to lead to alterations in the communication as demonstrating the purpose of the United States government to do only the policing of the border region.

Mastering of the Arizona and New Mexico guardsmen is being delayed, General Funston reports, until the skeleton companies can be recruited to the required standard.

Secretary Baker has not decided what action shall be taken regarding the 110 Texas guardsmen who declined to enroll in the regular service. Judge Advocate General Crowder has submitted an opinion to General Secretary of Staff, outlining the war department's authority to court-martial the recruits. The only recommendation, however, was that if the court-martial were ordered a majority of the members of each court be military officers, not regulars.

Official reports today on the number of Texas guardsmen actually mustered into the federal service were 1,235, or an increase of 242 men over the full strength of the organization when it was called out.

### MANY DEVELOPMENTS IN MEXICAN SITUATION

Washington, May 23.—Outstanding facts in the Mexican situation today were these:

Colonel Sibley's four cavalry troops, which entered Mexico nearly two weeks ago in search of the Glenwood Springs and Boquillas bandit raiders, were back at the border without casualties, having penetrated 188 miles into unknown territory over mud, dusty roads. They rescued two American held prisoners by the bandits and brought back five Mexican prisoners.

Marion Lechner, American colonel of a Chinookan City, was due to arrive in Washington today with a full report on economic conditions in northern Mexico, to be made to the state department. Officials understand these conditions are bad.

Officers of the judge advocate general's office were seeking to determine whether 116 members of the Texan national guard are subject to court-martial for refusing to take the mustering oath to enter federal service.

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## Roosevelt Acts As a Character Witness in the Riggs Case

Ex-President Testifies as to the Standing of President C. C. Glover, of Leading Capital Institution.

### GIVES RECOMMENDATION OF HIGHEST CATEGORY

Universal Report Gave Executive Such Prestige Colonel "Naturally Kept Account in His Depository."

**(By Evening Herald Leased Wire)**  
Washington, May 23.—Former president Roosevelt appeared as a witness today in the perjury trial of three officers of the Riggs National bank. He testified as a character witness for President C. C. Glover of the bank, one of the indicted men.

Colonel Roosevelt said he had known Mr. Glover since 1888, that he had business and social relations with the banker while civil service commissioner, assistant secretary of the navy, vice-president and president. Mr. Glover's general character and standing in the District of Columbia, he added, were of the highest. Colonel Roosevelt said he had come to Washington voluntarily to testify in the case.

Colonel Roosevelt said Mr. Glover was often a guest at the White House, and that the Roosevelt children were often guests at the banker's summer home.

"I didn't have much political talk with him," continued the witness. "I know in 1912 he did not support me. I knew he was for Mr. Wilson or Mr. Taft and I knew he was against me. Our acquaintance was not political, but of a social and business character."

My general knowledge of Mr. Glover by universal report, he said, was that his business integrity was such that naturally I and my children kept our accounts in his bank.

What can you say from your acquaintance with Mr. Glover and what you have heard of him as to his reputation for probity and integrity?" counsel asked.

I should say that no man in the district stood higher in probity and integrity for the handling of public and private business from the standpoint of public morality."

Mr. Roosevelt concluded by saying that while he was not well acquainted with the two other defendants, William J. Flather and others, P. Flather, president and former cashier of the bank, their reputation when he was in Washington was good.

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### PRESBYTERIANS GO ON RECORD AGAINST MAKING OF LIQUOR

**(By Evening Herald Leased Wire)**  
Birmingham, Ala., May 23.—A constitutional amendment for federal prohibition was endorsed by the Cumberland Presbytery church at its eighth-sixth general assembly here today.

A compromise agreement resulting in the New York presbytery's reprimand in connection with the charges of heterodoxy was expected to be reported to the Presbyterian general assembly by the committee on bills and services at today's session of the assembly. The committee, which Dr. J. Ross Stevenson of Princeton is chairman, reached a definite understanding in the matter last night.

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### PRESIDENT SENDS DRAFT OF LATEST NOTE TO LANSING

**(By Evening Herald Leased Wire)**  
Washington, May 23.—President Wilson sent the state department today the completed draft of the new note to Great Britain protesting against interference with American mails. The note will be cable to London immediately and it is expected a duplicate will go to the French government.

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## SUFFRAGE LOPPED FROM PORTO RICO DRAFT BY HOUSE

Party Lines Disregarded in Eliminating Amendment Calculated to Give Women of Territory the Vote.

**(By Evening Herald Leased Wire)**  
Washington, May 23.—The house struck from the Porto Rican bill today by a vote of 90 to 55 an amendment designed to grant woman suffrage to the island. The bill then passed without roll call virtually as introduced.

The vote on the amendment showed a complete disregard of party lines, though more Democrats than Republicans voted against it. It was inserted in the bill by Minority Leader Mattie.

Representatives of suffrage organizations, who had made no attempt to have the amendment inserted in the bill, were out in force in the galleries, and showed disappointment over the failure of the proposal.

The bill gives the Porto Rican government all of its internal revenue power, regardless of whether the goods on which it is paid are used in Porto Rico or this country. Therefore, revenues on goods used in the United States have gone to the federal treasury.

Property and educational qualifications are provided for applicants for citizenship under the measure and the employment of children under 14 years of age in dangerous or hazardous occupations would be prohibited.

The measure now goes to the senate.

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